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FR 2 450 480 discloses a device for controlling inclination of a vehicle.

DE 44 06 245 discloses a vehicle with a tiltable portion.

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